GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
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MID-DAY-MEAL TO STUDENTS
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the total funds released and foodgrains supplied to the State Governments by the Union Government under the Mid-Day-Meal Scheme during each of the last three years, State-wise;

(b) whether the Government has any mechanism to periodically assess the progress of Mid-Day-Meal Scheme;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether any assessment of the scheme has been made recently; and

(e) if so, the details thereof alongwith the action taken thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KANTI SINGH)

(a) A State-wise Statement of funds released and foodgrains allocated is annexed.

(b) and (c) Guidelines of the Scheme provide for monitoring of the programme, inter-alia, through Steering-cum-Monitoring Committees to be constituted at National, State, District and Block levels, and also for furnishing of quarterly progress reports by States/Union Territories to the Central Government.

(d) and (e) No external evaluation of the Scheme has so far been undertaken since issue of guidelines of the revised Scheme in Dec, 2004.

Statement

Mid-Day Meal to Students

S.No.	State/UT	Year-wise allocation of foodgrains (in lakh MTs) 2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	Funds released towards Cooking Cost # (Rs. in Crore) 2004-05
States					
1.	Andhra Pradesh	2.24	1.78	2.13	76.01
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	0.05	0.05	0.04	2.77
3.	Assam	0.93	0.96	1.02	23.11
4.	Bihar	2.43	2.45	1.96	70.82
5.	Chhattisgarh	0.75	0.57	0.57	39.74
6.	Goa	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.60
7	Gujarat	0.65	0.60	0.60	48.04
8.	Haryana	0.46	0.46	0.46	21.74
9.	Himachal Pradesh	0.19	0.18	0.18	8.45
10.	Jammu and Kashmir	0.25	0.22	0.25	2.47
11.	Jharkhand	0.52	0.52	0.83	16.20
12.	Karnataka	1.54	1.46	1.18	65.90
13.	Kerala	0.47	0.43	0.42	24.53
14.	Madhya Pradesh	2.12	1.66	1.60	132.59
15.	Maharashtra	2.98	2.24	2.22	139.95
16.	Manipur	0.09	0.09	0.09	2.19
17.	Meghalaya	0.13	0.10	0.10	5.44
18.	Mizoram	0.03	0.02	0 02	0.64
19.	Nagaland	0 05	0.05	0.03	2.46
20.	Orissa	1.24	1.23	1.35	73.56
21.	Punjab	0.49	0.45	0.43	7.46
22.	Rajasthan	1.58	1.69	1.69	131.51

23. Sikkim	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.65
24. Tamil Nadu	1.08	1.11	0.86	58.19
25. Tripura	0.14	0.09	0.09	7.02
26. Uttaranchal	0.25	0.16	0.16	12.34
27. Uttar Pradesh	4.46	4.91	5.10	170.67
28. West Bengal	3 00	3.06	3.03	69.93
Total	28.13	26.58	26.44	1215.00
Or, Say	28 lakh MTs	27 lakh MTs	26 lakh MTs	1215 Crore

- Central Assistance to States towards cooking cost was released under the revised MDM Scheme being implemented w.e.f. 1.9.04.